THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of : Jose A. Salas, et al.

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.97

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants are submitting herewith Form SB08a EFS-WEB and copy of the non-patent literature reference listed thereon. This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed more than three months after the filing date, but before receipt of the first Official Action on the merits. Thus, it is believed by the undersigned that no fee is required under 37 C.F.R. §1.97(b).

This submission is not an admission that the reference listed on the attached Form SB08a EFS-WEB constitute prior art against the claims of this application.

The Examiner is respectfully requested to confirm receipt and consideration of the cited reference by initialing and

returning a copy of the attached Form PTO/SB/08a in accordance with MPEP §609.

In the event that any fee is required in connection with this submission and not enclosed, the Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 04-1406 of the undersigned attorneys.

Early and favorable consideration of this application is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,
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Attachments - Form SB08a EFS-WEB

- Copy of non-patent literature reference